

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 WELLIN 00918 110202Z

17

ACTION OES-05

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 EA-09 ISO-00 CEQ-01 NSF-02 EPA-04

AID-05 CEA-01 CIAE-00 COME-00 EB-07 FRB-01 INR-07

IO-11 NEA-10 NSAE-00 USIA-15 OPIC-06 SP-02 TRSE-00

CIEP-02 LAB-04 SIL-01 OMB-01 SS-15 NSC-05 L-03 H-02

DOT-00 HUD-02 HEW-06 STR-04 INT-05 AGR-10 /159 W

----- 081057

R 102310Z MAR 76

FM AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1031

INFO USMISSION OECD PARIS

UNCLAS WELLINGTON 0918

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SENV, OECD, NZ

SUBJ: FLUOROCARBONS AND PCBS IN THE OECD

REF: STATE 48565

1. E/C COUNSELOR CONVEYED INFORMATION CONTAINED REFTTEL TO HEAD OF ECONOMIC DIVISION, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS WHO IN TURN BROUGHT U.S. VIEWS AND POSITION ON FLUOROCARBONS TO THE ATTENTION OFFICIALS OF THE NZ DEPARTMENT OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH (DSIR).

2. DSIR OFFICIALS HAVE EXPRESSED THEIR APPRECIATION AT BEING INFORMED OF U.S. APPROACH TO DEALING WITH THE POTENTIAL SERIOUSNESS OF FLUOROCARBON-OZONE DEPLETION PROBLEM AND U.S. VIEWS ON THE NEED FOR EARLY INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATION OF POSSIBLE ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, AND ECONOMIC CONSEQUENCES. (THOUGH NZ DOES NOT PRODUCE FLUOROCARBONS THEY ARE IMPORTED INTO AND USED IN NZ.) DSIR IS IN GENERAL AGREEMENT WITH U.S. VIEWS. HOWEVER, OFFICIALS BELIEVE TOO MUCH EMPHASIS HAS BEEN PLACED ON "REORDERING" PRIORITIES FOR OECD ACTION.

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 WELLIN 00918 110202Z

OFFICIALS FEEL OECD IS CAPABLE OF CARRYING FORWARD MORE

OF DIFFERENT PARTS OF PROPOSED PROGRAM CONCURRENTLY.

3. OFFICIALS AGREE WITH THE VIEW EXPRESSED IN PARA 7
OF REFTTEL THAT A MEETING OF UN SPECIALIZED AGENCIES,
THE OECD AND OTHER REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND SELECTED
GOVERNMENTS SHOULD BE CONVENED EARLY THIS YEAR FOR THE
OBJECTIVES SPELLED OUT. THEY SAID IT WAS THEIR
UNDERSTANDING THAT THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION IS
ALREADY WORKING ALONG THIS LINE.
SELDEN

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: POLICIES, POLLUTION CONTROL, CHEMICALS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 10 MAR 1976
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976WELLIN00918
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D760091-1027
From: WELLINGTON
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t19760373/aaaacmsi.tel
Line Count: 71
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION OES
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 76 STATE 48565
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: ShawDG
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 31 AUG 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <31 AUG 2004 by meiwc>; APPROVED <08 DEC 2004 by ShawDG>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: FLUOROCARBONS AND PCBS IN THE OECD
TAGS: SENV, NZ, OECD
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006